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**VIA U.S. MAIL**

**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency**  
Region 4 Freedom of Information Officer  
SNAFC Bldg, 61 Forsyth Street, S.W., 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Atlanta, GA 30303-8960

**Re: Freedom of Information Act Request**  
Alice Lake Watershed  
Cumming, Georgia

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. §§ 552 *et seq.*, and by way of this letter, we are requesting copies of all records (correspondence, inspections, drawings, memoranda, photographs, data, charts, reports, plans, plats, permits, variances, notes, emails, calculations and any other document in your files) maintained or received by your agency relating to the Alice Lake Watershed and Little Ridge Creek, which are tributaries of Lake Sidney Lanier, in Cumming, Forsyth County, Georgia. Specifically, please provide all records which relate to the Lake Alice dam breach which occurred on or about May 19, 2013, and any subsequent remedial measures. Further please provide any and all documents which relate to or mention: hydrology studies, stormwater or sewer profiles, stormwater or sewer easements, right-of-way or construction easements, as-built plans, engineering drawings, stormwater detention and drainage plans, stormwater control and Best Management Practices (BMPs), and relevant compliance data, enforcement action, and penalties and fines for non-compliance. Please also provide all documents pertaining to land-disturbing activity and NPDES permits, specifically including but not limited to: Erosion, Sedimentation and Pollution Control Plan or Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans; Site grading and development information, providing schedules, descriptions, and requirements; Water Quality Monitoring, Hydrology and Inspection Reports, and sampling data; and Notices of Intent, Notices of Violation, Notices to Comply, or Stop-Work Orders.

If for any reason you determine that certain portions of the requested documents or information are exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, please delete any such alleged exempt material, and furnish copies of those portions of the documents which are not exempt. If any documents are withheld or portions deleted, please identify those documents, the substance of such documents or deletions, and the grounds for withholding such documents, or making such deletions. Our consent to such deletion at this time in no way waives our right to

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appeal any determination that may be made concerning the applicability of any exemptions under the Freedom of Information Act to the requested documents and information.

Thank you for your assistance and attention to this request. If you have any questions concerning the foregoing, or if you require further information, please contact us immediately at (678) 354-0066.

Very Respectfully,

**CARVALHO & ASSOCIATES, P.C.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer L. Pennington", written in a cursive style.

Jennifer L. Pennington, Esq.  
For the Firm

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